

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE TRANSFER OF COXTON WATER WORKS,)	
INC., TO HARLAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY AND)	CASE NO.
FOR THE ABANDONMENT OF SERVICE TO THE)	9547
COXTON COMMUNITY)	

O R D E R

During the show cause hearing held January 26, 1986, in Case No. 9423, The Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") vs. Coxton Water Works, Inc., ("Coxton"), Mr. Rufus Hendrix, owner of Coxton, testified that he had transferred all assets of Coxton to the County of Harlan, Kentucky ("Harlan"). It was pointed out to Mr. Hendrix at the hearing that he should apply to the Commission for approval of the transfer of Coxton and the abandonment of service.

On March 7, 1986, the Commission received a letter from the Harlan County Judge/Executive, verifying that the service area of Black Mountain Utility District, when formed under the provisions of KRS 74 and KRS 65, will include the Coxton Community.

After reviewing the record in this case and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that:

(1) The March 7 letter from Harlan County should be treated as an application to transfer.

(2) The record in Case No. 9423 should be incorporated by reference into this case.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

(1) The Commission will accept the March 7 letter as a joint application to transfer Coxton to Harlan.

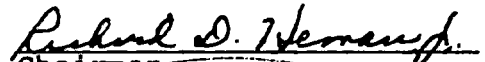
(2) The record in Case No. 9423 be incorporated by reference into this case.


(3) The transfer of Coxton to Harlan be and it hereby is approved.

(4) Harlan shall file with this Commission within 30 days of the date of this order its original tariff sheets setting forth its rates, rules and regulations as required by KRS 278.160.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 18th day of April, 1986.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Acting Secretary